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President's Letter

By Charmy Harker

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irst, I would like to let everyone know that 2016 will mark WIN's 25th year as an organization. What a milestone! To commemorate our 25th anniversary, WIN is planning a celebration at the ANA World's Fair of Money in Anaheim in August 2016. Look for more details in the coming months.



As 2015 draws to a close, many of us will reflect on our accomplishments, whether we achieved the goals we set, plan new goals for the coming year, etc. Most organizations such as WIN set goals, fundraising, increasing membership, finding new ways to educate and provide information to its members, and WIN is no exception. We held another 25/25/50 raffle for our Summer Seminar Scholarship that raised \$840, had several fascinating and interesting educational presentations at our general membership meetings, and even helped with Ron Guth's new book "One Hundred Greatest Women on Coins" by voting on the top 100 and then top 20 women on coins.

But one of the main things WIN set out to do this past year was to "clean up" our membership records. This may not seem like a big thing, but in reality, it

was. And I personally want to applaud Cindy Wibker who took over as our new Membership board member, and began the very arduous task of figuring out which members were active, which ones had moved, who had paid their dues, etc.

In an organization such as WIN, board positions are held by various volunteers throughout the years, and each person keeps records a little differently. Sometimes the records aren't kept current or just get lost in the shuffle of passing them on to the next person to hold that position. So when Cindy became the person in charge of Membership for WIN, she found that our records were incomplete and out of date, so she worked hard and spent many hours deciphering, researching and creating a new spread sheet with accurate and up to date information for each of our WIN members. WIN would like to thank each of our members for being patient during this process. We would also like you to know how much we appreciate each and every one of you for supporting WIN throughout our 25 years.

Another one of our newer board members, Dreama Hurst, took over as Treasurer. Now to me, being the Treasurer is one of the most important and most challenging positions of any organization. Dreama also took over a less-than perfect set of financial records which included a software program that Dreama had to learn and decipher. Luckily, she had some help in Carrie Best (our Parliamentarian) who took it upon

herself to work with Dreama during this long and tedious process. I want to personally thank both of you for your dedication and hard work in making sure WIN's financial records are in tip top shape!

As 2015 is coming to an end, I would also like to take a moment to remember two WIN members who passed away this year: Diane Piret and Myrna Lighterman. These folks were tireless supporters of WIN and they will be missed.

Lastly, I would like to show my appreciation for and to thank our amazing, hardworking, and very supportive board, without whom I could not do my job (in alphabetical order): Carrie Best (Parliamentarian), Louise Boling (Vice President), Kathy Freeland (Publicity), Dave Heinrich (Journal Editor), Dreama Hurst (Treasurer), Lisa Loos (Member at Large), Cindy Wibker (Membership), and a special thanks to James Motley who is our awesome Webmaster. Each of these people give freely of their time to make sure WIN runs smoothly, achieves our goals, and continues to support women in the numismatic community. So please accept my heartfelt thanks to each of you for all your service to WIN!

And again, thank you to all of our members for your dedication and support of WIN – we wish you all a happy, healthy, and prosperous New Year!

Charmy Harker, WIN President

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Participatory Numismatics: Remembering a Golden Anniversary

By **Steve Roach**, reprinted from the October 2015 issue of *The Cincinnati Numismatist*

When I was a young numismatist, I had a lot of fun of participating in the American Numismatic Association's Roman Coin Project, where young collectors could complete a series of activities designed to engage them in the hobby. The program, now named for David R. Cervin, challenges YNs to present a numismatic talk at a club, set up exhibits, participate in organized clubs as a leader, write a paper on numismatics, and perform other useful activities to help engage them in the hobby. In return for completing projects, young collectors get free ancient coins.

When Dave Heinrich brought some *Women in Numismatics* Winning Ways magazines to the recent Cen-

tral Ohio Numismatic Association, I noticed in the Winter 2015 issue a story on the Central States Numismatic Society's exnumia challenge

I write stories generally on U.S. coins for *Coin World*, so the prospect of having a surprise item to write about sounded like a fun challenge. I emailed CSNS education director Ray Lockwood and a few days later I

received a small brass medal, just a bit larger than a quarter dollar, with a hole in it! It was issued by Frost Co. in Kenosha, Wisconsin, celebrating its 50th year in 1952. The medal celebrates the golden anniversary of the firm.



which lets people add a medal to their collection for writing a short piece on the medal.

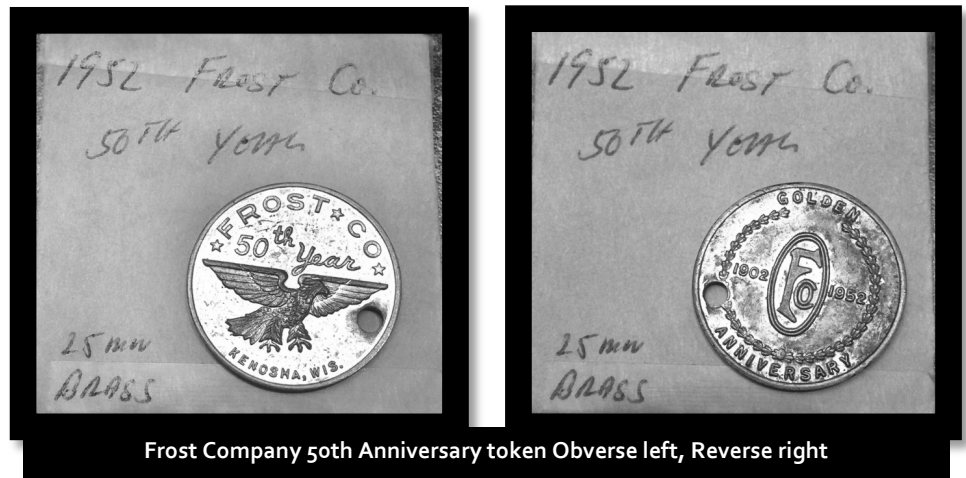
I thought, why not! In my daily job I

The obverse (if one can say that the medal has a distinct obverse and reverse) has a rather handsome eagle with outstretched wings in a style typical of the era. (For reference, here's a picture of a 1930s Art Deco eagle from a post office in Florida that shares stylistic traits to the eagle on the token, including the flat wings.)

According to an Ancestry.com community page on Kenosha County family businesses, Frost Manufacturing Company was incorporated in 1902, with C. N. Frost as the president and Walter J. Frost as the secretary and treasurer. The page adds, "The firm took over the plant of the old Badger Brass Manufacturing Company, which was situated at Elizabeth and Pleasant streets, and there they continued in business for ten years, when they sold the plant to the American Brass Company, erecting a new plant for their own use at Fremont Avenue and Strong Street. Today they have a floor space of 50,000 square feet and employ 150 people. They manufacture plumbing supplies and sell to the jobbing and manufacturing trade."

Since that entry in 2004, the company seems to have either been absorbed into another company, or simply shut down. The Environmental Protection Agency reports, "Frost Manufacturing Company is a superfund site located at 6523 14th Avenue, Kenosha, WI 53141."

Kenosha is a city of nearly 100,000 that rests between Chicago and Milwaukee. From images I found online, it seems like a lovely place and it is



Frost Company 50th Anniversary token Obverse left, Reverse right

pleasant to lose myself for a moment imagining the excitement in 1952 as the firm, one of the most prominent in the city at the time, celebrated its golden anniversary. Pieces of exonumia like this are a fun area of collecting. This small medal is worth perhaps a dollar or two, and the Frost Company was not a prolific issuer of numismatic items, but items like this open a little window on a small mo-

ment that may have otherwise been forgotten.

Interested in participating? Send Ray an email at sunrayofmarion@aol.com or call him at (765) 664-6520. To learn more about the ANA's Roman Coin Project, visit, https://www.money.org/uploads/pdfs/AncientCoinProjectForm_web.pdf.

A 1930s Art Deco eagle from a post office in Florida that shares stylistic traits to the eagle on the token



The ANA David R. Cervin Ancient Coin Project

A way for Young Numismatists to learn about and earn ancient coins.

From the American Numismatic Association

Would you like to participate in the world's finest and oldest hobby: coin collecting? Or, are you already a coin collector-or a numismatist? What's the difference? A collector may save coins, but a numismatist also studies his/her coins, learning the history behind their production; identifies and catalogs them; and shares knowledge and experiences by writing articles, exhibiting or speaking.

How does one grow from being a coin collector to a numismatist? One way is to join the ANA's David R. Cervin Ancient Coin Project. Named in honor of the project's founder and 25-year coordinator, it provides a

way for young collectors to earn a series of quality ancient coins by writing articles or school reports, doing a presentation for school or Scouts, exhibiting, or doing oth-

be on your way to becoming a numismatist! All submissions must be unique to this program. Along the way, if you would like more information about any of the coins you earned, please contact Harlan Berk, project sponsor.

Good luck and have fun!

For more information please contact the ANA Education Department at education@money.org



er interesting (and fun!) projects. The Ancient Coin Project Form outlines the method for earning coins. You do not have to know anything about ancient history or do your projects on ancient coins.

So take the first step, join the David R. Cervin Ancient Coin Project and start earning ancient coins. You'll have lots of fun doing it, and you'll

Exonomia challenge: Get a free medal, write an article

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oken and medal specialist Bob Fritsch and

Central States Education Director Ray Lockwood are issuing an exonomia challenge to members.

The challenge, patterned after a similar program Fritsch pioneered with the California Exonomist Society promises to be fun and perhaps profitable.

Here's how the CES described the challenge:

Every medal has a story to tell. By their very nature, medals are created to mark an event, person, group, commemoration or be just beautiful

art. Coins were made to be spent, but medals are where the author can find a universe of excellent subjects for writing.

That is the purpose of



like telephone tokens) for you. In return, write an article of about one page about the medal.

The article is to be submitted to The Centinel for publication. Both Fritsch and Editor Gerald Tebben will be happy to assist novice authors.

Questions may be directed to Lockwood at 2075 E. Bocock Rd., Marion, IN 46952; sunrayofinarion@aol.com or 765-664-6520.

this challenge. The rules are simple. Fritsch has given Lockwood a box of medals - extras from auction lots he has purchased. Contact Lockwood to look through the box or ask him to pick a medal (or grouping of items

WIN General Meeting at FUN

Press Release

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omen In Numismatics will hold it's general meeting

on Saturday January 9th at 9:00 AM during the Florida United Numismatists annual convention.

The meeting will be in room 3 of the Tampa Convention Center where the

FUN convention will be held. The guest speaker will be author and well known paper money expert, Wendell Wolka.

Everyone is welcome. Bring a friend!

Ch-ch-ch-ch-Changes Turn and face the strange

By David Golden, with help from Oliver Golden



or something in reach of most collectors consider the 50 bani circulating commemorative issued in 2011 by the National Bank of Romania. This coin is available on the internet for a few dollars. This coin commemorates the ascension of Mircea the elder, Vlad Dracula's grandfather to the Wallachian throne. If you add one of these coins to your collection you may want to store them in your spice cabinet...near the garlic. Just a thought. Happy Halloween! On June 17, 2015, the US Treasury Dept. released a proposal for a change coming to the 10 dollar bill in 2020. They are looking for a woman who was an advocate for our democracy also coinciding with the centennial of the passage the 19th amendment. When I heard about the upcoming changes, I asked my son Oliver, age 8, to come up with two suggestions and why. Oliver is a big fan of the "Who Was" series of biographies and history in general; he

quickly came up with the following:

His first pick would be Harriet Tubman. As Oliver reminded me, she "risked her life to help hundreds of slaves get to freedom." In a time when women could not vote and African Americans were not free, Harriet was a true hero. During the Civil War she worked as a cook, nurse, and scout for the Union Army.

His second pick would be Clara Barton. She worked as a nurse in the Civil War front lines. Oliver said that "she had to work in hard and unsafe areas in the battlefield." After the war she started the American Red Cross. Her compassion expanded beyond America's borders as she also helped hospitals in the Franco-Prussian War in 1870.

We both agreed either one of these great Americans would make a good replacement to the current bills. Oliver's final input was "They were both really brave women." Later, after our discussion, I started to feel a little remorseful for Alexander Hamilton. Will he be forgotten for future gen-

erations?

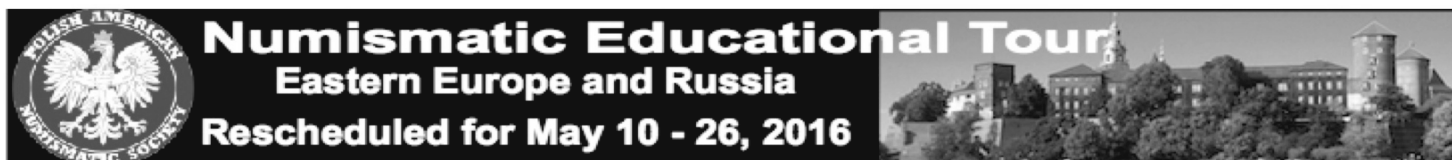
Hamilton was a soldier and statesman at the time that our nation was being forged. More importantly he set up the federal financial system as Secretary of Treasury under President Washington. He planned and created the Bank of the United States and the U.S. Mint in Philadelphia. Surely he should remain honored by the mint and the nation in some form.

The Treasury Department seems interested in feedback on these potential changes through surveys and roundtables. Since women's right to vote was ratified on August 18, 1920, I vote for a change to the 20 dollar bill and leave Hamilton's handsome mug as it is. Plus there is a better ring to all the 20's (1920, \$20 bill, and 2020) involved.

Editor's Note: This article originally appeared in the September 2015 issue of "The Cincinnati Numismatist".

"PANS Numismatic Educational Tour of Hands Across The Borders", *Moved to May 2016!*

Press release



Rescheduled – The Polish American Numismatic Society (PANS) of Troy, Michigan through Amerpol Travel of Troy, Michigan is organizing the "PANS Numismatic Educational Tour of Hands Across The Borders" of Eastern Europe and Russia departing May 10, 2016 and returning May 26, 2016. Tour starts in Poland and proceeds through Lithuania, Latvia, Estonia, and Russia.

Please contact PANS President Les Rosik at lesrosik@aol.com or Brett Irick PANS Treasurer at xr7gt@prodigy.net for more information.

The Price of the LAND ONLY Tour starting in Krakow, Poland is US\$3,700.00. Air fare from Detroit, Michigan, USA to Krakow, Poland is the responsibility of the traveler. The

ADDITIONAL COST of AIRFARE from Detroit to Poland is estimated at US\$1200.00. A valid US passport is REQUIRED. Russia REQUIRES a Russian Visa which MUST be applied for in advance of travel, prior to entering Russia. Travel Insurance is the responsibility of the Traveler. Travel Insurance is Highly Recommended by PANS Club and Amerpol Travel. PANS Club does NOT provide Travel Insurance.

The "Polish American Numismatic Society Numismatic Educational tour of Hands Across The Borders" includes visiting the numismatic cabinet at the Hutten Czapski Money Museum in Krakow, Poland, The Royal Castle Numismatic Cabinet in Warsaw, The Warsaw National Museum Numismatic Department, The Warsaw Mint Museum, The Money Museum of the Bank of Lithuania in Vilnius, Lithuania, The National Museum in

Riga, Latvia, The Bank of Estonia Museum in Tallinn, Estonia, The Hermitage Museum, The Numismatic Department in Saint Petersburg, Russia and The Pushkin State Museum in Moscow along with Various Non-Numismatic Stops and Tours. PANS Tour also includes: comfortable large tour bus, air fare back from Moscow, Russia to Warsaw Poland, English speaking tour guide, pre-paid tickets to all numismatic museums, good hotels, breakfast and dinner.

To make Flight and Land Reservations for The" PANS Numismatic Educational Tour of Hands Across The Borders", please contact Izabela at Amerpol Travel, Troy, Michigan, USA at (248)743-2660.

Come join us and explore the rich numismatic and cultural heritage of Eastern Europe and Russia.

WIN Social Mixer at FUN

Press Release

Women in Numismatics will be holding a social mixer during the FUN Convention at Champi-

on's Bar in the Marriott Tampa Waterside Hotel in Tampa, Florida on Thursday, January 7th, 2016 at 6:30 p.m

There will be a cash bar and finger foods will be provided. For more information, please contact president Charmy Harker at charmym@thepennylady.com.



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In Memoriam Myrna Lighterman 1930 - 2015

By John & Nancy Wilson

The entire numismatic and chip collecting organizations were extremely saddened to hear of the passing of Myrna Lighterman on September 2, 2015 in Sanford, Florida. at the age of 85. Myrna came from Springfield, Massachusetts to Miami, Florida many years ago. She organized the first geriatric clinic in the State of Florida. She met her husband, Irwin, in the US Virgin Islands and they married and later set up his medical practice in Miami.

She was the first female computer consultant in the State of Florida and was self-taught in repairing micro-computers in the 1970's. Mark and Myrna have a business card that has a company name Hmmm Corporation and a phone number. We asked Mark what that card was all about and what Hmmm Corporation meant. He asked us if we ever had a problem with our computer and thought to our-selves, "Hmmm wonder what is wrong?" He told us that by calling that number he or his mother could fix the computer problem. Over the

many years of knowing Mark and Myrna, we came to believe that they could fix any computer problem anyone had. As you already read above about Myrna's early training in working with computers Mark also is gift-



ed and has a Master's Degree in Computer Science.

Myrna loved Disney and Universal Studios and both she and Mark constantly went to these parks. Over the years, we went with them and enjoyed not only the park(s) but also going out to dinner either at the park or a nearby restaurant. At times in the past, Gene, Pat and Bill Hynds were part of the group. Myrna and all of us loved the ET ride at Universal studios. She had the widest smile

before, during and after that ride. Myrna (and Mark) also collected Disney memorabilia. We are sure that Myrna is someplace in heaven telling Mr. Disney how much she loved the park he started many years ago.

For many years Myrna was an ANA National Volunteer. For the past several years she worked in the Kids Zone. ANA Educational Director Rod Gillis also worked in that area. Both of them handled the many kids who registered for the various programs ANA had for them at the show. Early in the show at the recent World's Fair of Money in Chicago, Myrna didn't feel well and went back to her hotel room. None of us really knew how sick Myrna was. At the conclusion of the WFOM and after her son Mark had finished his many ANA duties; they left Rosemont and returned to Sanford, Florida. It wasn't long after returning home that she ended up in the hospital. She was released under hospice care and passed away on September 2nd. We were out of the country, and it broke our hearts when we found out she had passed away.

Besides the ANA, Myrna worked hard for the Florida United Numismatists

while Mark served on their Board and also as President. Over the past decade or so Myrna also was the mainstay at the ANA table for the January FUN show. Myrna also assisted at the ANA table at the Summer FUN show. CONECA was also an important part of her life and she assisted that organization. The Casino Chip and Gambling Token Collectors also benefited from Myrna's love for that organization and the collecting of Chips. She co-authored with her son three books on the history of gambling in Florida. Myrna was the shining light not only for the ANA, but the other organizations mentioned. She was an ANA National Volunteer who was always the first to arrive and the last to leave. She worked hard and diligently for the ANA, and whether she was well or didn't feel well she always had a smile on her face. FUN Director and Convention Coordinator Cindy Wibker wrote regarding Myrna: "She was a very humble person who didn't talk about herself or boast in any way. I loved her enthusiasm for life and her many contributions to numismatics." Brenda Black who is very involved in Chip Collecting wrote to us: "Myrna worked with me at registration for our chip convention in June in Las Vegas. She did tell me she would not be returning as a volunteer next

year. But, she and I had that discussion the last few years, and I did not take her seriously. I asked her what she would do, and she told me she would like to just walk around the convention floor and talk to everyone. She gave everyone that smile. This year for the first time ever I did give her an assistant. I only did that because I had a comparatively new volunteer who only wanted to work 2 hours on the first day, and I thought Myrna could use her for that short time. Well, Myrna loved Susan, and she told me not to let her go; we should keep her."

Whether at the ANA or other shows Myrna worked, worked and did more work, which she loved to do. She never really got much of a chance to walk around the convention floor and talk to people. If she did every coin or chip dealer from coast to coast would have met her and enjoyed her huge smile and great personality. We don't think anyone in the world would have heard Myrna say anything detrimental to anyone. She always had a kind greeting and the huge smile.

Because of her hard work for the ANA as a National Volunteer, Myrna received several awards from that organization. In January 2001, she received the ANA President's Award.

In 2008 she received their Glenn Smedley Memorial award, and in 2012 the Medal of Merit. One of the most coveted awards anyone can be a recipient of is the Krause Publications Numismatic Ambassador Award. This award is voted on by past recipients. Myrna was honored with this outstanding award in 2008. Myrna never did anything thinking she would receive an award. She did it out of love for collecting and to help coin clubs to grow and be successful. She would give you the shirt off her back if you needed it.

Myrna is survived by her son Mark, daughter Sandy and two grandsons Adam and Zack, along with a cousin Miriam Ludmer. A Celebration of Myrna's life was held on September 20, at 1:30pm at Temple Beth Israel located in Sunrise, Florida. Myrna will not only be missed by her family but her hundreds of friends throughout the country. Her wide smile, friendliness, happy disposition and exceptional work ethic will always be remembered by us as well as her family and friends. Rest in Peace Myrna, as we will always remember you and treasure the things we did in the past.

With love and friendship,
John and Nancy Wilson

Women In Numismatics General Meeting Minutes

August 13, 2015, Chicago, Illinois

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IN President Ron Guth and Caitlyn (Whitman Publishing) presented an autographed copy of the new book "100 Greatest Women on Coins" to Charmy Harker on the new note and why. The BEP also had some forms at their booth.

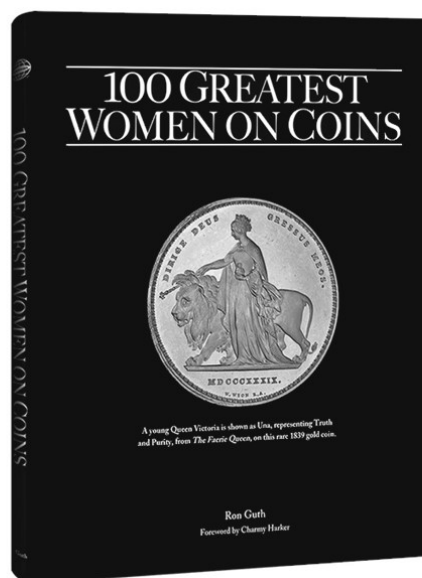
Charmy Harker called the meeting to order at 9:01 AM. An official "welcome" was given by a member of the Chicago Coin Club. There were 31 people present at the meeting.

Charmer reminded everyone of the social mixer at 6:00 PM, that WIN will celebrate its 25th anniversary next year at the ANA convention in Anaheim, and raffle tickets for WIN's 50-25-25 drawing are still available.

Kevin Brown of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing (BEP) said there had been no woman on U.S. paper money since Martha Washington appeared on the 1896 educational series. A new \$10 note featuring a woman will be issued in 2020. Brown encouraged everyone to go to the BEP website at the-new10.treasury.gov and give their opinions about who should appear

on the new note and why. The BEP also had some forms at their booth.

Former WIN President Prue Fitts showed her new book on identifying Byzantine coinage to everyone. A very limited number are available in the U.S., and the other printed copies are in England.



and thanked WIN members for their participation in the project. Caitlyn said all the essays were great and the book was receiving good press from the New York Times and other key publications. The book is not yet available to the public, but will be soon and may be preordered. Everyone who contributed will receive a free copy from Whitman.

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Cindy Wibker and Kathy Freeland presented the WIN literary awards for articles published in Winning Ways for the 2014 calendar year. Wibker and Freeland, along with Lisa Loos, made up the awards committee. Two honorable mention certificates were presented. The first was to Myriam Saldarriaga for her article "Ten Little Indians: A Brief History of America from 1859-1909." Myriam was not present and her certificate will be mailed to her. The second was presented to John and Nancy Wilson for their continued support of Winning Ways with their book review series. Nancy accepted the certificate on behalf of herself and John. The Gloria Peters Literary Award for the best article published in 2014 was presented to Charmy Harker for her

"Penny Exonomia" article. Charmy received a plaque and a check for \$50.

Freeland introduced guest speaker Mark Wieclaw, who is a member of



Mark Wieclaw

the Chicago Coin Club, the ANA, Central States Numismatic Society and many other clubs. Wieclaw then presented a program on the Brookgreen Gardens in South Carolina. The gardens combine art, nature and numismatics. The founder, Archer Huntington, was a wealthy railroad magnate. He was a member of the ANS and collected Hispanic coins. His wife, Anna Huntington, was one of only twelve women in the U.S. in 1912 earning more than \$50,000.00 per year. She was a very talented artist who worked in aluminum and

made many beautiful statues. In 1926, three years after her marriage, she was diagnosed with tuberculosis. The garden climate was good for Anne. She designed it herself in the shape of a butterfly, and it is one of the world's largest garden of statues. Many of the pieces are by Anna, herself. There are also statues by a long list of sculptors, including many who also worked on numismatic coin designs: Don Everhart II (current chief engraver for the U.S. Mint), Glenna Goodacre, Chester Martin, B.F. Hawkins, Charles Keck, Gertrude Lathrop, Brenda Putnam, Robert Aitken, Chester Beach, Daniel Chester French, Gutzon Borglum (Stone Mountain and Mount Rushmore), Anthony de Francisci, Hermon A. MacNeil, Adolph A. Weinman, Augustus Saint-Gaudens, Laura Gardin-Fraser and James Earl Fraser. Wieclaw showed the audience the statue produced by the artists in the garden, as well as which coin(s) they engraved. Many of the coins were from the U.S. commemorative series. The audience thoroughly enjoyed the presentation, and Freeland presented Wieclaw with a certificate of appreciation from WIN.

Harker reminded everyone of the mixer, membership applications are available at the meeting, the BEP has cards at their booth regarding the new \$10 bill to be produced depicting a woman, and the next WIN meeting will be held at FUN in Tampa in January 2016.

The meeting adjourned at 9:49 AM.

Respectfully submitted,

Cindy Wibker

Secretary, WIN



WIN Members Receive Awards in Chicago

WIN Press Release



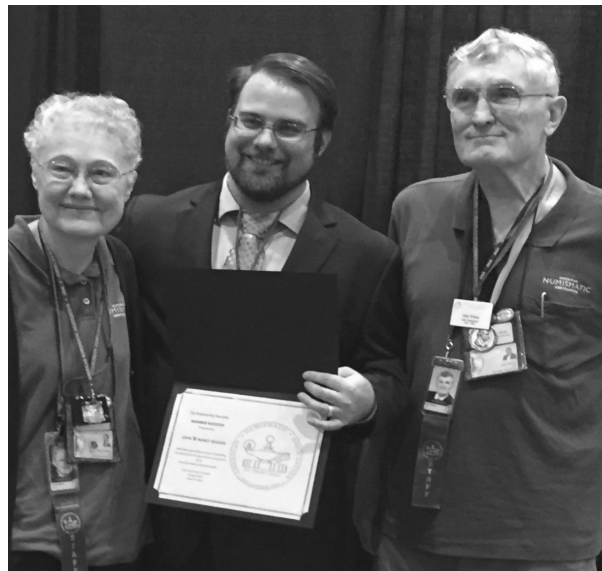
WIN member Mark Lighterman, receiving the Adna Wilde Memorial Award for Excellence. This is for service to the ANA. With Mark is ANA President Walter Ostromecki



WIN member and supporter Arthur M. Fitts III receives his 60-year membership pin from ANA VP Jeff Garrett



WIN member Scott T. Loos (3rd from the left) received his 25-year membership pin from the ANA



WIN members Nancy and John Wilson, shown with ANA governor Jeff Swindling, receive the ANA Booster Award for signing up the most new members for the ANA during the last year

Be Always on Your Guard!

By Dave Heinrich

Always keep an eye on your pocket change, you never know what may show up. I received the 1941 Mercury Dime pictured here in change at a festival the first weekend of June.

How many hands did this little piece of silver pass through before it found someone who knew it wasn't just a funny looking dime?



Maybe they thought they were pass

ing along a worthless foreign coin. Most likely most didn't give it a second look, that's why numismatists should always pay attention to the coins that pass through your hands.

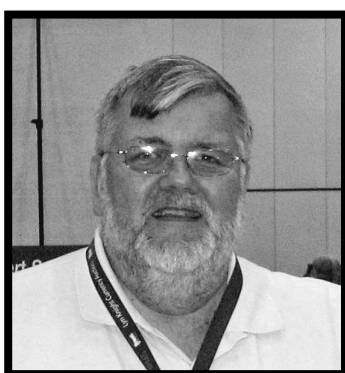
By the way, the dime was photographed with a Samsung Galaxy S5, handheld!

WIN Speaker at FUN

WIN Press Release

Women In Numismatics will hold it's general meeting on Saturday January 9th at 9:00 AM during the Florida United Numismatists annual convention.

The meeting will be in room 3 of the Tampa Convention where the FUN convention will be held.



Wendell Wolka

money expert, Wendell Wolka. His topic will be "The Odd Things You Find on Obsolete Paper Money."



The guest speaker will be author and well known paper

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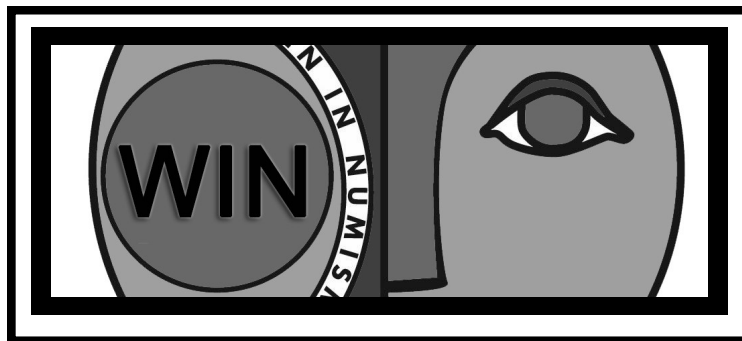
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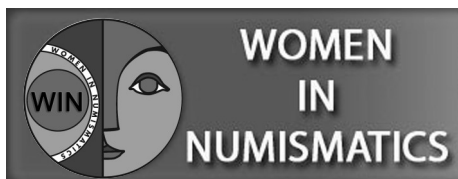


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